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Applicants: BARROUX

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For: Lumping And Delumping Method For Describing
Hydrocarbon-Containing Fluids

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment (No Fee)
Commissioner For Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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September 23, 2004

Sir:

The following amendments are respectfully requested in connection with the
above-identified application, as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Drawings describing changes to drawings shown in the

Appendix;

Remarks are included following the amendments; and

An Appendix including amended drawing figures is attached following the
remarks.